ARCHSTONE SMITH TRUST

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Beneficial

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SELLERS R SCOT	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	ARCHSTONE SMITH TRUST [ASN]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
9200 E. PANORAMA CIRCLE, SUITE 400	03/06/2006	below) below) Trustee and CEO		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of	` '	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	03/06/2006		M		` ´	\$ 22.1875	442,142	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	03/06/2006		M	78,884	A	\$ 19	520,986	D	
Common Shares of	03/06/2006		M	103	A	\$ 19	521,089	D	

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Interest								
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	03/06/2006	F	21,108 (1)	D	\$ 47.9268	499,981	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	03/06/2006	S	64,800	D	\$ 47.9268	435,181	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	03/06/2006	F	26 (1)	D	\$ 48.21	435,155	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest	03/06/2006	S	77	D	\$ 48.21	435,078 (2)	D	
Common Shares of Beneficial Interest						33,579	I	See footnote (3)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Option-to-Buy	\$ 22.1875	03/06/2006		M	7,064	<u>(4)</u>	06/14/2009	Common Shares	7,0
Option-to-Buy	\$ 19	03/06/2006		M	78,884	(5)	12/14/2009	Common Shares	78,
Option-to-Buy	\$ 19	03/06/2006		M	103	<u>(5)</u>	12/14/2009		10

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SELLERS R SCOT 9200 E. PANORAMA CIRCLE SUITE 400 ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

Trustee and CEO

Signatures

Erin McMahon, Attorney-in-Fact on behalf of R. Scot Sellers

03/08/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Withholding of shares for payment of tax liability.
- (2) Direct total includes 288,043 restricted share units awarded under Issuer's Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (3) Indirect total includes 250 shares held in trust for child, 189 shares held in Issuer's 401(k) Plan and 33,140 shares held in a revocable trust.
- (4) Options granted on 6/14/99 vested at 25% a year over 4 years, beginning on 6/14/00.
- (5) Options granted on 12/14/99 vested at 25% a year over 4 years, beginning on 12/14/00.

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